

# MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE.

MOTTO—LIVE FOR OUR FRIENDS—DO THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF GOOD WE CAN TO THE LARGEST NUMBER OF PEOPLE.

BARBOURVILLE, KENTUCKY, Friday, February 19, 1904.

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First Year.

## BARBOURVILLE

### Advantages a Needs at Present We See Then

Barbourville, the county seat of Knox county, is situated on the bank of the Cumberland river, the mouth of "Lift" in a broad level bounded on all sides by mountains, mostly covered in forest, and contains an abundance of coal of the finest quality, town is supplied with all it consumes by the farmers surrounding country who do coal and haul it to town as farmers do their potatoes. Bluegrass section of our State. The town of Barbourville has 2,000 inhabitants, almost entirely of native white and are thrifty and industrious people as can be found in Kentucky. They are content and attend to their own business and every one has a business to occupy his time.

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take its place. This should be done, and we propose to aid and assist any movement that may tend to that end.

We neglected to mention that Barbourville has a street car line extending from a point on North Main street to the depot, over which a horse car is run to meet all incoming and outgoing trains over the L. & N. railway, which passes through the eastern border of our town. This great L. & N. railway system gives our people direct connection with the outside world, and affords abundant facilities for both transportation and shipping purposes to all who live along its lines.

There are many other things we might mention but will defer until some future time and not weary our readers with such lengthy articles.

#### A Quiet Wedding.

Last Thursday evening at 9 o'clock a pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. John M. Messer in this city, when the marriage vows between Mr. E. P. Hays and Miss Kate Matthews were pronounced by Dr. A. P. Baker, of the Baptist church. Only a few of the friends of the contracting couple were present and the ceremony was quite a surprise to the many of their friends who expected they would be in a marriage. The ceremony was quite a surprise to the many of their friends who expected they would be in a marriage. The ceremony was quite a surprise to the many of their friends who expected they would be in a marriage.

#### Our First Subscriber.

Before we left Georgetown, Ky., for this city, our mother placed in our hand a silver dollar, and as she did so, remarked, "I want to be the first to subscribe for your paper, and I want to establish the precedent which I hope you will follow, to always keep in advance." God bless that dear woman, may she live to read the ADVOCATE for many years, and yet so long as we have anything to do with the publication of it we will see to it that she shall have the pleasure of perusing its columns weekly. Now who will follow the example she has set?

#### Births.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hughes were blessed a few days ago by the advent of a bright eyed baby boy who made his appearance to bless the home. The proud father is much elated over the advent and thinks he can see a great Democratic statesman in the new born son, while the mother is as equally confident that her son will grow up to be a great Republican leader. We have not seen the new arrival, but are inclined to take the side of the mother.

Box—Last week to the wife of Mr. John Woodward, general manager of the Camp Ground Telephone Co., a son. Wife and child both doing well.

#### More Snow.

This morning another fall of the beautiful came and carpeted the earth once more, but as the ground was wet from the rainfall of last night, it melted almost as fast as it fell. This has been truly a winter such as has never before been witnessed by the younger generation, as the cold weather has continued unusually since last October.

#### Lost.

One gold brooch pin in the shape of a heart, encircled with clear stones with blue sets in center. The finder will please return and receive reward. Mrs. ELLIEN GILBERT.

## SEN. HANNA

### The Great Republican Leader In National Affairs, Passed Away Last Monday at his Washington Home.

Had Been Ill Only A Short Time.

Last Monday evening at 8:40 o'clock death invaded the apartments of Senator Marcus A. Hanna in the Arlington hotel in Washington City and called from earth the spirit of him who was recognized by all to be the leader of the National Republican party. At the time of his death Senator Hanna was serving his unexpired term as senator from Ohio, and only about three weeks ago he was re-elected for the succeeding term of six years by the largest majority that any man in Ohio ever received.

During both terms to which President McKinley was elected Senator Hanna was elected a member of the National Republican committee and managed the campaign so successfully that he won the confidence and esteem of all who came in contact with him.

His nomination in connection with the presidential campaign which he made this summer, but he always modestly declined to allow his services were needed.

Funeral services were conducted at noon in the Senate chamber at Washington, at which the President and all the cabinet officers were present, after which the remains were taken to his home in Cleveland, Ohio, where services will be held to-day.

Marcus A. Hanna was born in Lisbon, O., Sept. 24, 1837, and when five years of age removed with his father's family to Cleveland, where he spent the remainder of his life, except when in Washington serving as a member of the United States Senate.

While he was always an ardent Republican and a strong party worker he never attempted to deliver a public address until 1897, when an effort was made by the Democrats to defeat him for his seat in the senate.

In all his dealings Mr. Hanna was regarded by all to be perfectly honest, and by good management he had managed to accumulate a snug fortune.

The gold plank in the Republican platform of 1896 was credited to Mr. Hanna, while the truth was that Mr. McKinley wrote it himself in the office of Mr. Hanna in Cleveland, with a lead pencil, before Mr. Hanna started to the St. Louis convention. During all the turmoil over the adoption of the platform Mr. Hanna stuck to the McKinley plank, and it was the plank adopted by the convention.

The personal relations between Mr. McKinley and Mr. Hanna were cemented by years of close association, and they were bosom friends and each had the greatest respect for the other. In the death of Senator Hanna the nation, as well as the Republican party, has sustained a loss that will take some time to repair, and all laboring men will feel the loss of his wise counsel and guiding hand.

#### Bricks Flirted.

Counsel for Caleb Powers in his appeal from the death penalty inflicted upon him by the Scott Circuit Court as being an accessory before the fact to the murder of Wm. Goebel, have filed their briefs with the clerk of the Court of Appeals.

The documents are quite bulky, but will consume considerable time in examining it.

## THE GIRL AND HER PARENTS.

By Mrs. W. H. HATCHER.

There are few who would gainsay the proposition that a bright young girl in her teens is the most attractive object in the whole realm of nature. With the flush of hope on her cheek, the gleam of intelligence in her eye, her springy, elastic step, her ringing, joyous laughter, she goes forth to conquer. And it is these qualities are added the touch of culture that come from contact with educated people, the unmistakable touch of gentility and modesty too, it will be a wonder if society does not reach on its hands for her, ere she is ready to meet its exacting demands.

It is said, however, that only in the home can a perfectly correct picture be gotten of its members. All masks are laid aside there; hypocrisy, except in extreme cases, has no existence.

If the parent—the mother—finds in the daughter the turning towards the ideal she had for herself, then all is well. If she realizes that she is a part of a great organization, and has her duties to perform, if she respects the wishes of her father and mother more than of any one else, then there are no type who are more to talk of the superior attainments and qualities of their parents. And the public easily forgives them for it; such as they, are the polished stones in the temple of homes.

But all girls gifted by nature and with helpful surroundings do not give equal pleasure to those within the home circle or without. They may have mayhap an imperious manner, a sour spirit; impatient and restive under authority, they go through life seeking to have their own way. A young girl dying said that she was losing her life because she had not honored her parents.

The text, "Honor thy father and mother that thy days may be long upon the earth," kept ringing in her ears. To this class also belongs the girl who, having been away to school for some time, was walking down the street with a friend on her return when they met her mother. She had been fearfully disfigured in trying to snatch her, this very girl when a child, from a fire. The young lady asked "who was that horrible creature?" She said she did not know. She denied her own mother. Pride has an overmastering influence. But there are few American girls so heartless as she was, it is pleasant to believe.

It is not always the girl who is to blame for unhappy home relations; there are unworthy parents who are responsible for the failure of their children to do well. One does not go far afield in saying, like mother, like child. The relationship between mother and her daughter is the closest of all ties, and no other influence is so potent. Would she be ambitious to excel in books? Then she must receive the impetus from her mother. It is next to impossible for a mother who ignores education to have a cultured daughter. The desire for it must begin at the mother's breast even in the lullaby songs and the weird tales she relates to the listening child.

Then, too, if the parents would have the girl love the true, the beautiful and the good, they must love these themselves. Nothing teaches so well as example. And after all the best results are obtained in the relation of the girl and the parents when there is perfect harmony, no reserve, and a loving intimacy. Where that exists that home is a place of heaven. Dr. Hawthorne in a memorial address of a prominent Baptist who reared a large and highly cultivated family of daughters who occupied high relations in life, said he would rather be the architect of such a home than to be president.—Baptist Argus, Richmond, Va.

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#### New County Committee.

The newly elected Republican County Committee met last Saturday and adjourned, by electing W. Byrley, Chairman; W. B. Diney, Secretary; W. M. Mitchell, Treasurer.

The following list now constitutes the new committee:

Barbourville No. 1.—W. M. Mitchell.

Barbourville No. 2.—Jesse Childers.

No. 3.—W. Byrley.

Artemus—W. R. Marree.

Brush Creek—Fred Rice.

Poplar Creek—A. J. Crowley.

Flat Lick—Matt Smith.

Upper Stinking—Dr. Tip Jones.

Girdler—S. H. Jones.

Black's—John Black.

Grays—Boyd Diney.

Corbin—John Gilliam.

Indian Creek—J. B. Logan.

#### State News.

The little son of Lewis Harter, of Georgetown, has resigned his office, and W. W. Harper was elected to fill out his term.

State Senator J. F. Porter, of Webster county, was painfully injured at Frankfort by the accidental discharge of a pistol.

T. D. Fitzgerald, of near Stampington ground, Scott county, was bitten by a mad dog and has gone to Chicago to try the Pasteur Serum cure to prevent the otherwise probable result—hydrophobia.

It is reported that Ollie James, Congressman from the First District, will announce his candidacy for United States Senator, to succeed J. C. S. Blackburn, in a few days. It is further claimed by those who claim to be in position to know, that he will have the backing of the present administration in his race, which will make it rough sailing for Senator Joe.

Representative W. Godfrey Hunter, of Kentucky, appeared before the Rivers and Harbors Committee with a delegation from Burnside, Ky., to urge an appropriation for the completion of a lock thirty miles below Burnside on the Cumberland river. C. W. Cole, B. W. Lord and L. E. Bryant composed the delegation. The completion of lock 21 would cost \$300,000, and would give a thirty-foot harbor at Burnside the year round. Coal barges could be loaded in the summer and for five months of the year, even with present conditions on the lower Cumberland, and could be towed down the river to the Ohio and the Mississippi. Lock 22, located three miles below Burnside, if completed, would give a twelve-foot harbor there.

#### NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of HENRY TEC DAY, Debtor.

To the creditors of Henry Tec Day, of Whitesburg, in the county of Letcher and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1904, the said Henry Tec Day was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Barbourville, Kentucky, on the 29th day of February, A. D. 1904, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. This 19th day of February, A. D. 1904. W. S. H. BY, Clerk.

## IN KENTUCKY OIL FIELDS.

Development by the Standard and Other Companies.

[Special Cor. Manufacturers' Record.]

BARBOURVILLE, Ky., Feb. 8.—A great deal of new work has been commenced in the lower developments of the Kentucky oil field during the past few days. Increasing interest is being manifested in all sections, and during the coming spring and summer there will be a good demand for drilling contractors. At present field work is being somewhat retarded on account of the bad condition of the roads, but in spite of this impediment work in the developed sections is lively.

Detroit capital has lately been invested in the development of leases in the southeastern part of the state, and last week the Big Five Oil company, made up of business men of that city, let a contract for the drilling of fifteen new wells in the Kentucky division. The first of these wells is now being put. This work is being carried on in the developed portion of the field, and the holes will be drilled as rapidly as possible.

Among other new concerns hailing from Michigan is the Kentucky Giant Oil & Gas company, newly organized. This company is now doing its initial drilling in Knox county. The contract will keep a rig busy for several months.

The January record of production was the best in the history of the field. The runs from the developed sections approximated 80,000 barrels, while the number of completions was above the average. The lower part of the field commanded the principal attention and furnished the best results.

Work is reviving in the southeastern division of the Kentucky fields. Last week an old-time gusher was drilled in Knox county, and it is the best producer encountered in that field for several months past. The oil gushed to a height of 100 feet when the sand was penetrated, and the capacity of the strike is placed at 100 barrels. A new territory is gradually being opened up in the Big Richland section. Some late production, show up with a good production, and under pipe line extensions are now in place. Most of the work is being done on "northern concerns", but a few local capitalists are interested.

The central, or upper, fields, are the centers of considerable activity. In the Bath-Rowan division the Standard has lately started 25 more wells to pumping, and is getting a big production. This company is now pumping 75 wells in that division altogether. The latest completion, which was made last week, is credited with a daily production of 15 barrels.

A number of rigs are kept busy by the Standard. Some test work is under way in the counties of Bath and Rowan, and it is usually in the nature of deep drilling. The St. Louis Oil & Gas company is trying to develop a deep sand in the Embury territory, where there are a number of shallow wells. The contract calls for drilling to a depth of 1400 feet.

Several strikes have been made in the eastern division during the past month, and deep drilling is being continued throughout the eastern part of the state. In the counties of Wolfe, Katell and Morgan a number of rigs are at work and probably a dozen wells were drilled to completion in those counties during the month of January. Wolfe county shows up the best of any undeveloped field, and the grade of oil found is different from that found in the other divisions of the upper field, being a light grade of the illuminating product.





## LOCALS.

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have your job work done  
ADVOCATE office.

Subscribe for your county  
and get the home news,  
See the Wilson Bros. ad  
see, it will interest you.

The freezes and thaws are  
the mud roads almost im-  
Although winter set in  
early last fall it seems de-  
hold on with an icy grip.

Ladies, do you want a  
diamond ring? Read the  
fourth page and see how to  
FREE.

The Adams Express Co.  
have a wagon to handle  
entrusted to the care of  
pany in this town.

When in need of job  
kind remember you can  
at the ADVOCATE office  
and at satisfactory prices

The attention of our  
called to the large ad of  
per in this issue. When  
anything in his line call up

See the barber ad else-  
day's issue, and if you  
or hair trim, John Can-  
the Hotel Knox, will fix

Don't fail to read the  
fourth page of this  
contains the greatest  
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Hignite & Childers have  
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spect their line of goods,  
them by when you are at  
for bargains.

Parker Bros. use space  
issue to tell the people  
gains they have, and in-  
section of their stock

The new bank building  
National Bank is now  
pleted and is a model of  
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of the public square.

This office has printed  
ery this week for the  
Fair Association. Their  
Annual Fair this  
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Next Monday will be  
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Advocate while in to  
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Go to the First Nation-  
ask to see the valuat-  
that we propose to give  
Matthews or Mr. Lock-  
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If you need stationery  
call on the ADVOCATE.  
we carry a full line of  
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## PERSONALS.

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L. H. Jarvis is out of town this  
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Walter Hudson has gone to Mid-  
dleboro to locate.

John G. Matthews, President of  
the First National Bank, is in North  
Carolina this week on business.

F. D. Sampson and wife returned  
home Sunday morning from Cin-  
cinnati, where he had been on busi-  
ness.

Wharton Stamper from Big Rich-  
land creek, visited his former school-  
mates, Omar and Emory Clark, in  
town last Sunday.

Dr. Baker, of the Baptist church,  
was a pleasant caller at this office  
last Tuesday and gave us words of  
encouragement and wishes of suc-  
cess.

W. A. Howard, of Flat Lick, was  
a pleasant caller at this office yester-  
day and paid for the ADVOCATE for  
a year in advance, for which he has  
our thanks.

Mr. D. W. Clark has taken charge  
of the Knox County Republican at  
Barbourville and will change the  
name of the paper to THE MOUNT-  
AIN ADVOCATE.—Georgetown Times.

Judge McDonald, our postmaster,  
who has been confined at his home  
for the past month with a severe ill-  
ness, is now slowly recovering and  
we hope he will soon be able to be  
at his post of duty again.

Rev. Myers, of the Christian  
church, will preach to the congrega-  
tion here next Sunday morning at  
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## THE OTHER MAN

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One dark night, while Grant's lines  
were investing Petersburg, a Federal  
force captured a Confederate outpost  
and no sooner were the prisoners  
brought in than one of them proved to  
be the double of a private in a New  
York regiment.

The name of the Confederate was  
Wakefield, while that of the Federal  
was Thomas. The former belonged to  
a Louisiana regiment. When placed  
side by side they seemed to be twin  
brothers. Each was about twenty-two  
years old; each was about five feet five  
inches high; each weighed 160 pounds.

Their eyes and hair were of the same  
color, and even their voices were the  
same except that the southerner had a  
little more drawl. The pair were as  
much astonished as the officers and  
surgeons who were called to look them  
over.

You will not be surprised that advan-  
tage was taken of this curious coinci-  
dent to send Thomas into the Confed-  
erate lines. As a preparatory step he  
was given a week in which to pump  
Wakefield. The prisoner did not refuse  
the object, and, being of a garrulous  
disposition, he was ready to talk on  
any subject. Thomas got from him his  
family history, complete, the name of  
the town from which the man hailed,  
with incidents of people and streets;  
then the names of his officers and com-  
rades, with incidents of campaigns.

The Federal had been an actor before  
enlisting and had cultivated a wonder-  
ful memory. When he had stored up a  
thousand different things in his mind  
he bought the uniform worn by the  
Confederate and was ready to set out  
on his mission.

One night Thomas was taken down  
to the front and made a bolt for it.  
In other words, it was made to appear  
that one of the Confederate prisoners  
was making a dash for liberty, and the  
picket opened a sharp fire, but took  
care not to aim at the running man.

On reaching the Confederate lines  
Thomas was sent to the headquarters  
of General Mahone. The general seem-  
ed a bit suspicious, and Thomas, play-  
ing the part of Wakefield, asked that  
his captain be sent for. It was a cou-  
ple of hours before the officer arrived,  
and the general at once said to him:

"Captain, this man who has come  
into our lines tonight claims to be a  
member of your company. Is he or is  
he not?"

"He certainly is, sir," was the prompt  
reply.

"What's his name?"  
"John Wakefield, sir."  
That settled it.

After three or four days and under  
pretense of visiting a cousin in a Vir-  
ginia regiment Thomas covered the  
front and had a look at guns and fer-  
tilizations. When he returned to camp  
calculating to take the first opportunity  
to escape, he was at once put under  
arrest. It appeared that Wakefield  
and some of his comrades had raided  
a store of a lot of eatables, and the  
proprietor had ascertained their names  
and now demanded their punishment.

When the merchant and Thomas  
were brought face to face the latter  
declared that Thomas was not the man  
he represented himself to be. Why he  
should have made such a declaration  
is a puzzle, but he seemed to be guided  
by intuition. He was ridiculed and  
laughed at, but he stuck to his assertion  
and even denounced Thomas to Gener-  
al Mahone. As stated after the war,  
the general had felt doubts of Thomas  
from the first, which may again be set  
down to the sense of intuition.

The name of the merchant who had  
been despoiled was Saunders, and he  
was of an implacable nature. Being  
put on his mettle by the sneers and  
ridicule, he determined to prove his  
case at all costs. As the scene he  
had the general ask hundreds of ques-  
tions. He knew the town and the peo-  
ple from which Thomas as Wakefield  
claimed to hail and in the course of the  
day had trapped him a dozen times  
over. As an offset all the officers and  
privates of the company asserted that  
Thomas was Wakefield and that there  
was no room to doubt. He went at it  
and related every incident of camp life  
for a year past and told of things which  
it seemed impossible for a stranger to know.

General Mahone was clearly puzzled  
over the case and took two days to  
think it over. At the end of that time  
Thomas was escorted back to find a  
soldier in Federal uniform in the gen-  
eral's tent, and there were also two civil-  
ians in waiting. It was a little surprise  
for the spy. The man in Federal  
uniform claimed to have known Thomas  
as a Federal soldier under the name of  
Brown, and the two civilians claimed  
that he had never been a resident of  
their towns.

Thomas realized that the pitch had  
come, and he braced himself to make a  
fight for his life. General Mahone  
treated him in the fairest manner, and  
acting as his own counsel, he went at it  
and soon had the supposed Federal sol-  
dier all twisted up and out of the run-  
ning. Then he tackled the civilians, and  
they proved to be as easy game. In-  
stead of being cornered up he cornered  
his accusers, and it was so well done  
that he was complimented by the gen-  
eral. When the case had been conclud-  
ed, Mahone leaned back and looked at  
the prisoner for a long minute and then  
said:

"Wakefield, everything is in your fa-  
vor, and I am going to damn the  
charges."

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that he would have ended his life on  
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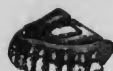
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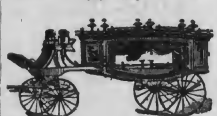
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## CORRESPONDENCE.

Our Correspondents will please send in their items so as to reach this office not later than Tuesday morning in order to insure insertion. Promptness in this matter will assist the management materially in getting out the Advocate on time. Please bear this in mind and give us your news as early in the week as possible.—Editor.

### WHITESBURG.

Prof. Crawford, the saw mill man, of Boon's Fork, will soon locate his saw mill near here to accommodate the people of this community.

Benj. Lee Hall, of Camp Branch, and Letha Collins, were married at the home of the bride, Monday. A delicious repast was served in the dining room at 3 o'clock.

John Henry Addington, a young man of Colly creek, was bonded under a one thousand bond for his appearance at London for manufacturing old "mountain dew."

Stephen Jenkins, the Ola teacher, as town the first of the week.

Misses Flossie and Ella Tyece, of Johnson City, were visiting friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Two couples eloped across the country to Camp Branch last Thursday and were married. Miss Lettie Craft to Trave Spangler, and Miss Eliza J. Webb to Cuge Sexton. May all happiness be theirs, is the wish of the writer.

William M. Varnillion, the saddle drummer, will now make his circuit through Wise and Dickenson counties, and return by the way of Pikeville.

Misses Emma and Birdie Varnillion, of East Bend, are visiting their many friends in and around Whitesburg this week.

Green Walters, the timber man for Day Bros. Lumber Co., has been up the river branding their timber they have on the banks.

Samuel Collins makes frequent visits to Mr. Salyers; cause unknown.

Capt. John A. Webb still boards at the "Catskin Hotel." Stay close, Captain, or some of the boys will 'beat' your time.

Miss Leah Salyers, who has been at Beattyville for some time, going to school, will soon return.

Miss Callie Fields, of West Point, has been visiting friends and relatives here this week. G. W. J.

### HOLDEN.

J. L. Huddleston, of this place, returned to Elk Valley, Tenn., where he is in the employ of the Caledonia Lumber Co.

Messrs. West and Lay were here at week buying cattle.

Preston Short, of Grays, Ky., has been visiting his brother, Robert Short, of this place.

Robert Henson has been home on Pineville for several days, having mended his arm, and was unable to work.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Hugh Martin, who has been sick some time, is improving.

Mr. James A. Tiller was up from Harboursville last week on business.

Joe Fortney, of Cannon, was here several days last week.

H. P. Martin and L. A. Hopkins are in Harboursville on business last Sunday.

oe Higgins happened to bad luck today. When he started to see his girl at Artemon, his horse fell with him and muddled his chest, so he had to redress, and he got there he was so late girl had gone visiting. He stood the railroad and frost bit his toes being for her return. Hope he have better luck next time.

Misses Cora and Laura Grindstaff returned to Harboursville Monday, where they are attending Union College.

Josh Parrott was in Pineville last Monday.

R. C. Nichols and Harmon Castle are making cross-ties for the new coal switch of Jones and England.

Misses Clara and Nora Henson spent Sunday with friends at Emanuel.

Henry Miller was in Harboursville on business Monday.

Mrs. R. A. Walton spent Saturday and Sunday with her son, William Walton, near Artemon.

Walton Bros. are closing out their suits, pants and overalls at cost this week.

Robert Short was over on Richmond trading Saturday.

James Ketrone went to Grays Monday on business.

Albert Hudson was down from Flat Lick Sunday to see his best girl.

James Keeder, of Flat Lick, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walton.

J. W. Morris is preparing to put a saw mill on the farm of his father, Robert Morris, soon, and cut his pine, poplar and oak timber.

Isaiah Unthank was at Girdler Monday on business.

James T. Goshen was in London Monday on business. VERDANT.

### BAILEY'S SWITCH.

W. S. TAYLOR, Correspondent.

Your correspondent at this place has been on the sick list for the past week but is now improving.

Mr. Harrison Taylor, father of your correspondent, was shot and killed last Saturday in the road near Block House, while on his way to mill. Mr. Taylor leaves nine children by his first wife and a wife and three children. He was 68 years of age, and lived near the head of Stinking creek.

### FLAT LICK.

Business is improving considerably in our town.

T. J. Broughton was down from West Pineville Sunday.

Mrs. D. W. Slusher and Miss Alice Slusher returned Sunday morning from Pineville, where they have been visiting relatives for the past week.

H. C. Boston leaves for Collinsville, Texas, the 23d to visit his brother's family. His mother will return with him to spend the summer.

Messrs. James Russell, J. R. Collier, Creed Russell, Wiley Vaughn, Beckham Sutton, Allen and L. Ivy were among the guests of the Archer House this week.

E. W. Morris, of Middleboro, is stopping at the Archer House.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harkness and Miss Lola Yeager are expected Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dave Yeager.

"Smiling" Dave Jackson was at the Archer House the first of the week.

Mrs. John Yeager has been very sick.

Miss Myrtle Dewitt has returned from a month's visit to her parents at Lewisport.

The Literary Club was royally entertained by Minnie Coone Thursday. Delicious refreshments were served. All report a pleasant evening.

G. M. Smith has returned from Cincinnati.

Miss Elizabeth Gouger has returned from Pineville.

Mrs. John S. Catebe is very ill.

W. C. Pittman, representing Johnston Bros., Louisville, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Alex Walker.

# LOOK.

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**The First Prize,** A Large and exceedingly beautiful Diamond Ring In Solid Gold Setting. This is no imitation, but A GENUINE DIAMOND, VALUED AT \$75.00 and we will furnish the WRITTEN GUARANTEE OF THE JEWELER, as to its being A Genuine Diamond.

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**The Second Prize,** Will be CHOICE of either a Large and Exceedingly Handsome GOLD BROOCH, Set With SIX LARGE OPALS, The Value of which is \$20.00. Or if they prefer, they may have A Handsome JEWEL and GOLD, Ladies WATCH, Set With PEARL Match, The Value of which is also \$20.00. The person securing the Second Highest number of votes will be given CHOICE of these two Prizes, either or which any Lady would be proud to wear.

**The Third Prize,** Will be given to the person receiving the Third Highest number of votes, and will be either the Brooch or the Watch, the winner of the Second Prize having first choice and the winner of the Third Prize taking the other.

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NOW LADIES, see who can win. Get your friends to work for you. Any one can enter the Contest and tell them that you want that Diamond Ring and get them to work for you and credit the votes secured to your list. Remember We Do NOT Take Subscriptions For Less Than One Full Year.

WE will publish the list of contending candidates for these Prizes, giving credit every week with votes secured, so that each one can see how diligently the other is working. No votes will be permitted from one contestant to another after they have been recorded in this Office.

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